IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of DEBINSKI

Application No.: 09/226,794

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For: METHOD FOR DIAGNOSING, IMAGING, AND TREATING TUMORS USING

RESTRICTIVE RECEPTOR FOR INTERLEUKIN 13

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)

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Sir:

Responsive to the office action mailed May 22, 2000 (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Claims

Please cancel claim 3 without prejudice.

REMARKS

Applicant has shown that human glioblastomas express a human IL13 (hIL13)-specific receptor that does not bind human IL4 (hIL4), and that intratumoral injection of cytotoxin-